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2d PS Bn in Kunzvalt.

1. Prior to 20 January 1952, the 2d PS Bn [] in Kunzvalt (N 49/Q 35) was subordinate to the PS brigade [] in Volary (N 49/Q 55) which was commanded by Major Galus (fnu) and whose political officer was Senior Lieutenant Zemlicka (fnu). The brigade, in turn, was subordinate to [] in Prague which was commanded by Colonel Hlavacka (fnu). Other officers of [] were General Smoldas (fnu), deputy commanding officer and Colonel Taus (fnu), political officer. * 25X1C
2. The brigade consisted of 1 battalion each in Kvilda (N 50/Q 26) and Kunzvalt; 1 battalion in Stozek (N 49/Q 44) with companies in Krasna Hora (N 49/Q 44), Nove Udoli (N 49/Q 44), at Mt. Tristolicnik and on the Plesne Jezero Lake; and 1 battalion in Horni Plana (N 49/Q 63) with companies near Zvonkovo (N 49/Q 53), in Racin, about 2 km southeast of Zvonkov, Smrcina, Planina, and Celnice. *
3. The 2d PS Bn in Kunzvalt, under the command of Senior Lieutenant Malek (fnu), consisted of a guard company in Kunzvalt; 1 PS company in Zdarek, about 8 km northwest of Kunzvalt; 1 PS company in Svetle Hory (N 49/Q 35); 1 PS company in Horni Silnice (N 49/Q 34); 1 PS company in Dolni Silnice (N 49/Q 34); and the 10th Co in Ceske Zleby (N 49/Q 44) which had been located in Horni Cazov (N 49/Q 44) until October 1951. *
4. The company in Ceske Zleby, [] numbered 45 men and was equipped with model 98-N rifles, models 23 and 25 submachine guns, 3 model 26 light machine guns and 1 model 37 heavy machine gun. It had three dogs, only one of which was trained as a police dog. A trench was excavated around the billeting area of the company in the fall of 1951, but no trench connecting the circular trench with the billets was dug. The personnel of the company included only five Slovaks. * 25X1C

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4th PS Bn in Rozvadov.

5. Prior to 26 December 1951, the 4th PS Bn in Rozvadov (N 50/P 43) was subordinate to the PS brigade in Plana (N 50/P 55) which until October 1951 was commanded by Captain Hromacko (fnu), whose successor

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allegedly was Lieutenant Subrt (fnu). Units subordinate to the brigade, [redacted] included 1 signal platoon, 1 motor transport platoon, 1 labor platoon and 1 guard unit in Plana; 1 mortar platoon in Chodova Plana (N 50/P 55); the 1st Bn in Dolni Zandov (N 51/P 46); the 2d Bn in Halze (N 50/P 44); the 3d Bn in Lesna (N 50/P 43) with companies in St. Pochr (N 50/P 33), Pavluv Studenec (N 50/P 44) and Zlaty Potok (N 50/P 33); and the 4th Bn in Rozvadov. [redacted] **

6. The battalion in Rozvadov was commanded by Senior Lieutenant Motyka and was organized into 1 signal platoon of 11 men and 1 reserve unit of 40 to 50 men in Rozvadov; the 16th PS Co in Jedlina (N 50/P 43); the 17th PS Co in Hranicky (N 50/P 43); the 18th Zadrazil PS Co near N. Domky (N 50/P 43); the 19th PS Co near Novy Dvur; and the 20th PS Co in Diana (N 50/P 52). It was equipped with 3 trucks, 1 sedan, 2 jeeps and 2 motor-cycles. **
7. The 19th PS Co in Jedlina numbered 40 to 45 men and was equipped with rifles, submachine guns and 4 model 26 light machine guns. About one half of the personnel were Czechs and the other half Slovaks. In November 1951, the area of the company was subdivided into an off-limits zone running along the border and, behind it, a border zone. Source was unable to state whether the border sector contained mine fields, trenches or wire fences. **

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